

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A container (100) includes a closure device (121). The  
5 closure device includes interlocking fastening strips (130,  
131) and a slider (132) slidably disposed on the fastening  
strips for facilitating the occlusion and deocclusion of the  
fastening strips. The container includes first and second  
10 side seals (124, 125), and a third side seal (126). The  
third side seal (126) is provided for stronger sealing of the  
sidewalls (122, 123) and to further prevent forced separation  
of the sidewalls. The container may include fourth, fifth,  
and sixth side seals (227, 228, 229) for further facilitating  
the strength of the container. The side seals may be  
15 accomplished by heat sealing, ultrasonic sealing or adhesives  
that attach the sidewalls together.

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